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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner: Richard Hutson, Ph.D.

Commissioner of Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated December 27, 2002, for which a three-month response period expiring on March 27, 2003 was set. The three-month extended period expires on June 27, 2003. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee in the amount of \$930.00 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

The Office is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any over payments under 37 C.F.R. ' 1.16 or ' 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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Respectfully submitted,
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